

Loan Star Libraries Funding Formula Task Force Process

Background:

In 2006, The Texas State Library and Archives Commission (TSLAC) decided to combine state funds that are meant for individual public libraries into the Loan Star Libraries program. This included the allocations the regional library systems had given to their member libraries. When the funding formula was reviewed, however, it was clear that funding for some public libraries would decrease unless the funding formula for Loan Star Libraries was changed.

The current formula is designed to reward local financial commitment to each library by providing a match on local operating expenditures, and is also designed to motivate and reward libraries to provide open access to Texans. The existing Loan Star Libraries grant funding formula uses a library's reported local operating expenditures as well as each library's openness to serving all Texans, or participation in the TexShare Card Program to determine the amount of grant funds each library is awarded. For example, libraries that serve all Texas residents equally, or are members of the TexShare Card program, are eligible for a base grant while libraries that do neither are not.

The Task Force Process:

The State Library formed a task force to review and recommend a new funding formula for the Loan Star Libraries grant program. The group of public librarians first met in May 2006, and discussed new ways the grant award monies could be divided. A second meeting was held in January 2007, with two members of the task force presiding as Co-Chairs. The Task Force Co-Chairs are: Willie Braudaway, County Librarian, Val Verde County Library, Del Rio and Kerry McGeath, Library Administrator, Southlake Public Library, Southlake. At this second meeting, various funding scenarios were presented and discussed. The balance of funds between larger and smaller libraries was the primary issue discussed.

A third meeting, held in February 2007, resulted in a task force recommendation to change the current funding formula. Task force members have recommended that the formula be adjusted beginning with the 2008 funding cycle.

The Task Force Recommendation:

The task force has recommended that the current formula (25% base award, 75% match) be changed to 30% base award and 70% as a percentage match on total local operating expenditures. In the attached spreadsheet, all grant awards are estimates based on the best available data. Final grant awards for the FY2008 funding cycle will change based on the data received through the annual report process.

Next Steps:

Public librarians and their supporters are asked to review the task force recommendation and provide task force members and TSLAC staff feedback on the recommendation. The TSLAC will host a public forum at the Texas Library Association Conference.

How you can learn more:

1. For current info on the Loan Star Libraries Task Force visit: www.tsl.state.tx.us/ld/funding/loanstar/taskforce.html The task force webpage includes a list of task force members, a timeline for their work, principles by which the task force developed a new award formula, and more.
2. The Winter 2006 issue of the Texas Library Association (TLA) publication, *Texas Library Journal*, includes an article on the task force.
3. Review the task force timeline, principles and letter sent to all public library directors.

How you can participate in the process:

1. Participate in the public discussion online. A forum for discussion has been created. Please visit the online forum at: <http://lsforum.tsl.state.tx.us>. You don't have to register to read messages, but if you would like to post, you will need to register.
2. Participate in the public discussion in person. A public forum will be held Friday, April 13, 2007 at the TLA Conference in San Antonio.
3. Communicate with task force members to let them know your thoughts and opinions.

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Texas State Library and Archives Commission

Funding Formula Task Force

Charge

The charge to this task force is:

- To analyze the current LSL formula
- To analyze alternative fund distribution formulas and determine their applicability for use with the Loan Star Libraries Program
- To recommend alternative distribution formula or formulas to the TSLAC director and librarian

Timeline

2006

December: Task Force work on formulas; preparing for January meeting

2007

January 12: Task Force meeting—consensus on proposed formula

Jan-March: Solicit public input

April 12: Request Commission approval to post proposed new rule for public comment

April 13: Open Forum at Texas Library Association Conference

April-May: Public Comment Period

June 16: Request Commission approval to adopt new rule

August: New funding formula in place for FY2008 grant cycle

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Principles to Guide the Design of a Loan Star Libraries Program Distribution Formula

Technical Principles

1. *Ease of calculation:* The formula should not be so complicated that hard-to-detect errors can easily occur.
2. *Ease of explanation:* The formula should be easy to explain to librarians, lay people, and government officials alike.
3. *Ease of control:* The formula should be based on factors that the local public library can control, at least to some extent.
4. *Ease of collection of data:* The formula should be based on data elements that are already collected on the Annual Report/System Membership Form.
5. *Timeliness:* Data on which the formula is based should be available for a reasonable period before the formula is computed each year.
6. *Relevance:* The formula should use data elements that reasonably relate to the purpose of the funding, which is the improvement of public library service statewide.
7. *Eligibility:* Libraries should establish eligibility for a Loan Star Libraries grant by meeting the minimum criteria for system membership.
8. *Expenditure timeline:* The grant must be spent in the state fiscal year in which it is awarded.

Philosophical Principles

1. *Motivational:* The formula should reward local effort and motivate local funding agencies to provide additional resources to local libraries.
2. *Consistent with State role:* The more freely open the library is to Texans, the larger the state aid grant.
3. *Equity:* The formula should provide funds fairly and comparably statewide. In other words, peer libraries in different geographic areas should be funded similarly.
4. *Local control:* Local libraries should determine the best use of their Loan Star Libraries operating funds working with the community and guided by an updated long-range plan.
5. *Purpose of grant:* Loan Star Libraries funds may be spent on any operating expense, but cannot be spent on construction, renovation, purchase of land, or any capital expense.

Loan Star Libraries Funding Formula Task Force

Roster

Chris	Albertson	Tyler Public Library
Anne	Barker	Nacogdoches Public Library
Claire	Bausch	Nicholson Memorial Library
Carolyn	Bogardus	Port Isabel Public Library
Willie	Braudaway	Val Verde County Library
Carol	Brey-Casiano	El Paso Public Library
Ricki	Brown	Abilene Public Library
Betty	Cash	Iraan Public Library
Jane	Clausen	Lubbock Public Library
Leanna	Cowan	Alvarado Public Library
April	Dillon	Hemphill County Library
Rhoda	Goldberg	Harris County Public Library
Margie	Ibarra	Hondo Public Library
Jackie	Icenhower	Atlanta Public Library
Donna	Littlejohn	Amarillo Public Library
Susan	Mann	Hillsboro City Library
Hollis	McCright	Howard County Library
Kerry	McGeath	Southlake Public Library
Denise	Milton	Jasper Public Library
David	Price	Averus Corporation
Linda	Rees	Reagan County Library
Ruben	Rendon	Harlingen Public Library
Ramiro	Salazar	San Antonio Public Library
James	Stewart	Victoria Public Library
Linda	Thompson	Springlake-Earth Comm Library
Rebecca	Walls	Deaf Smith County Library
Lisa	Youngblood	Harker Heights Library System

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County	City	Library	AWARD
Anderson	Frankston	Frankston Depot Library	\$2,896
Anderson	Palestine	Palestine Public Library	\$8,319
Andrews	Andrews	Andrews County Library	\$6,704
Angelina	Diboll	TLL Temple Memorial Library	\$4,857
Angelina	Huntington	McMullen Memorial Library	\$3,318
Angelina	Lufkin	Kurth Memorial Library	\$6,506
Aransas	Rockport	Aransas County Public Library	\$3,878
Archer	Archer City	Archer Public Library	\$3,043
Armstrong	Claude	Claude Public Library	\$2,702
Atascosa	Charlotte	Charlotte Public Library	\$2,815
Atascosa	Jourdanton	Jourdanton Community Library	\$3,450
Atascosa	Lytle	Lytle Public Library	\$3,110
Atascosa	Pleasanton	Pleasanton Public Library	\$4,046
Atascosa	Poteet	Poteet Public Library	\$2,811
Austin	Bellville	Bellville Public Library	\$4,214
Austin	Sealy	Virgil & Josephine Gordon ML	\$3,340
Austin	Wallis	Austin County Library System	\$3,671
Bailey	Muleshoe	Muleshoe Area Public Library	\$3,615
Bandera	Bandera	Bandera County Library	\$3,502
Bandera	Lakehills	Lakehills Area Library	\$3,188
Bandera	Medina	Medina Community Library	\$3,008
Bastrop	Bastrop	Bastrop Public Library	\$5,610
Bastrop	Elgin	Elgin Public Library	\$4,190
Bastrop	Smithville	Smithville Public Library	\$4,382
Baylor	Seymour	Baylor County Free Library	\$2,752
Bee	Beeville	Joe Barnhart Bee County Library	\$5,999
Bell	Bartlett	Teinert Memorial Public Library	\$2,929
Bell	Belton	Lena Armstrong Public Library	\$4,265
Bell	Harker Heights	Harker Heights Public Library	\$5,365
Bell	Holland	BJ Hill Library	\$2,813
Bell	Killeen	Killeen City Library System	\$12,441
Bell	Salado	Salado Public Library District	\$3,964
Bell	Temple	Temple Public Library	\$14,234
Bexar	Converse	Converse Public Library	\$3,259
Bexar	Leon Valley	Leon Valley Public Library	\$4,804
Bexar	San Antonio	San Antonio Public Library	\$192,975
Bexar	Universal City	Universal City Public Library	\$3,977
Blanco	Blanco	Blanco County South Lib District	\$3,030
Blanco	Johnson City	Johnson City Library	\$2,980
Bosque	Clifton	Nellie Pederson Civic Library	\$2,695
Bosque	Meridian	Meridian Public Library	\$2,913
Bosque	Valley Mills	Valley Mills Public Library	\$2,655
Bowie	Hooks	Hooks Public Library	\$2,710
Bowie	Maud	Maud Public Library	\$2,769
Bowie	New Boston	New Boston Public Library	\$3,099
Bowie	Texarkana	Texarkana Public Library	\$8,470
Brazoria	Angleton	Brazoria County Library	\$41,053
Brazos	Bryan	Bryan/College Station PL	\$21,233
Brewster	Alpine	Alpine Public Library	\$3,359
Briscoe	Quitaque	Caprock Public Library	\$2,777
Brooks	Falfurrias	Ed Rachal Memorial Library	\$4,252
Brown	Brownwood	Brownwood Public Library	\$4,770
Burleson	Caldwell	Harrie P Woodson MemLib	\$3,129
Burnet	Burnet	Burnet County Library System	\$8,813
Caldwell	Lockhart	Dr Eugene Clark Library	\$5,416
Caldwell	Luling	JB Nickells Memorial Library	\$3,661
Caldwell	Prairie Lea	Tri-Community Library	\$2,822
Calhoun	Port Lavaca	Calhoun County Public Library	\$6,246
Callahan	Baird	Callahan County Library	\$2,705
Callahan	Clyde	Clyde Public Library	\$2,853
Callahan	Cross Plains	Cross Plains Public Library	\$2,859
Cameron	Brownsville	Brownsville Public Library	\$30,655
Cameron	Harlingen	Harlingen Public Library	\$10,757
Cameron	La Feria	Bailey H Dunlap Memorial Library	\$3,383

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ESTIMATED AMOUNTS

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County	City	Library	AWARD
Cameron	Laguna Vista	Laguna Vista Public Library	\$2,870
Cameron	Los Fresnos	Ethel L Whipple Memorial Library	\$3,647
Cameron	Port Isabel	Port Isabel Public Library	\$4,063
Cameron	Rio Hondo	Rio Hondo Public Library	\$2,880
Cameron	San Benito	San Benito Public Library	\$4,523
Camp	Pittsburg	Pittsburg-Camp County PL	\$3,787
Carson	Panhandle	Carson County Public Library	\$4,286
Cass	Atlanta	Atlanta Public Library	\$3,642
Castro	Dimmitt	Rhoads Memorial Library	\$3,425
Chambers	Anahuac	Chambers County Library	\$6,525
Cherokee	Jacksonville	Jacksonville Public Library	\$4,984
Cherokee	Rusk	Singletary Memorial Library	\$3,021
Childress	Childress	Childress Public Library	\$3,039
Clay	Henrietta	Edwards Public Library	\$3,511
Cochran	Morton	Cochran County Love Mem Lib	\$3,109
Coke	Robert Lee	Coke County Library	\$2,706
Coleman	Coleman	Coleman Public Library	\$3,303
Collin	Allen	Allen Public Library	\$18,486
Collin	Celina	Celina Community Library	\$3,574
Collin	Farmersville	Charles J Rike Memorial Library	\$3,205
Collin	Frisco	Frisco Public Library	\$11,749
Collin	McKinney	McKinney Memorial Public Library	\$21,312
Collin	Melissa	Melissa Public Library	\$3,202
Collin	Plano	Plano Public Library System	\$91,636
Collin	Princeton	Princeton Community Library	\$2,810
Collin	Prosper	Prosper Community Library	\$3,670
Collin	Wylie	Rita & Truett Smith Public Library	\$7,555
Collingsworth	Wellington	Collingsworth Public Library	\$3,843
Colorado	Columbus	Nesbitt Memorial Library	\$4,032
Colorado	Eagle Lake	Eula & David Wintermann Library	\$3,367
Colorado	Weimar	Weimar Public Library	\$3,045
Comal	Canyon Lake	Tye Preston Memorial Library	\$4,857
Comal	New Braunfels	New Braunfels Public Library	\$11,798
Comal	Spring Branch	Bulverde/Spring Branch Library	\$5,290
Comanche	Comanche	Comanche Public Library	\$3,459
Comanche	De Leon	DeLeon City County Library	\$2,862
Concho	Eden	Eden Public Library	\$2,897
Cooke	Gainesville	Cooke County Library	\$4,808
Cooke	Muenster	Muenster Public Library	\$2,843
Coryell	Copperas Cove	Copperas Cove Public Library	\$6,568
Coryell	Gatesville	Gatesville Public Library	\$4,321
Cottle	Paducah	Bicentennial City-County Library	\$2,687
Crane	Crane	Crane County Library	\$3,803
Crockett	Ozona	Crockett County Public Library	\$3,722
Crosby	Crosbyton	Crosby County Library	\$3,276
Culberson	Van Horn	Van Horn City County Library	\$3,490
Dallam	Dalhart	Dallam-Hartley County Library	\$3,335
Dallas	Balch Springs	Balch Springs Public Library	\$3,391
Dallas	Carrollton	Carrollton Public Library	\$42,481
Dallas	Cedar Hill	Zula Bryant Wylie Library	\$7,957
Dallas	Cockrell Hill/Dallas	Cockrell Hill Public Library	\$3,017
Dallas	Coppell	William T Cozby Public Library	\$15,503
Dallas	Dallas	Dallas Public Library	\$235,658
Dallas	De Soto	DeSoto Public Library	\$8,875
Dallas	Duncanville	Duncanville Public Library	\$8,529
Dallas	Farmers Branch	Farmers Branch Manske PL	\$19,810
Dallas	Garland	Nicholson Memorial Library	\$44,012
Dallas	Grand Prairie	Grand Prairie Public Library	\$19,683
Dallas	Hutchins	Hutchins-Atwell Public Library	\$3,065
Dallas	Irving	Irving Public Library	\$57,449
Dallas	Lancaster	Lancaster Veterans Mem Lib	\$7,812
Dallas	Mesquite	Mesquite Public Library	\$20,436
Dallas	Richardson	Richardson Public Library	\$31,174
Dallas	Rowlett	Rowlett Public Library	\$11,392

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Dallas	Sachse	Sachse Public Library	\$4,443
Dallas	Seagoville	Seagoville Public Library	\$3,565
Dallas	Sunnyvale	Sunnyvale Public Library	\$3,573
Dallas	University Pk/Dallas	University Park Public Library	\$3,983
Dallas	Wilmer	Gilliam Memorial Public Library	\$3,088
Dawson	Lamesa	Dawson County Public Library	\$4,588
Deaf Smith	Hereford	Deaf Smith County Library	\$5,005
Delta	Cooper	Delta County Public Library	\$2,917
Denton	Aubrey	Aubrey Area Library	\$3,291
Denton	Denton	Denton Public Library	\$38,061
Denton	Flower Mound	Flower Mound Public Library	\$12,783
Denton	Justin	Justin Community Library	\$3,187
Denton	Krum	Krum Public Library	\$3,235
Denton	Lake Dallas	Lake Cities Library	\$4,043
Denton	Lewisville	Lewisville Public Library	\$15,653
Denton	Little Elm	Little Elm Public Library	\$4,126
Denton	Pilot Point	Pilot Point Community Library	\$3,528
Denton	Ponder	Betty Foster Public Library	\$2,764
Denton	Roanoke	Roanoke Public Library	\$5,309
Denton	Sanger	Sanger Public Library	\$3,684
Denton	The Colony	The Colony Public Library	\$8,927
DeWitt	Cuero	Cuero Public Library	\$3,276
DeWitt	Yoakum	Carl & Mary Welhausen Library	\$3,403
DeWitt	Yorktown	Yorktown Public Library	\$2,932
Dickens	Spur	Dickens County Spur PL	\$2,737
Dimmit	Carrizo Springs	Dimmit County Public Library	\$3,326
Donley	Clarendon	Burton Memorial Library	\$3,217
Duval	San Diego	Duval Co/San Diego PL	\$3,297
Eastland	Eastland	Centennial Memorial Library	\$2,729
Eastland	Ranger	Ranger City Library	\$2,792
Ector	Odessa	Ector County Library	\$12,322
Edwards	Rocksprings	Claud H Gilmer Memorial Library	\$3,694
El Paso	Clint/El Paso	Clint ISD Public Library	\$4,248
El Paso	El Paso	El Paso Public Library	\$62,323
El Paso	Tornillo	Tornillo Media Center	\$3,194
Ellis	Ennis	Ennis Public Library	\$5,329
Ellis	Ferris	Ferris Public Library	\$3,088
Ellis	Midlothian	AH Meadows Library	\$3,913
Ellis	Red Oak	Red Oak Public Library	\$3,136
Ellis	Waxahachie	Nicholas P Sims Lib. & Lyceum	\$12,244
Erath	Dublin	Dublin Public Library	\$3,162
Erath	Stephenville	Stephenville Public Library	\$4,304
Falls	Marlin	Marlin Public Library	\$2,958
Falls	Rosebud	D Brown Memorial Library	\$2,712
Fannin	Bonham	Bonham Public Library	\$4,193
Fannin	Honey Grove	Bertha Voyer Memorial Library	\$3,323
Fannin	Leonard	Leonard Public Library	\$2,830
Fayette	La Grange	Fayette Public Library	\$3,678
Fayette	Round Top	Round Top Family Library	\$3,017
Fayette	Schulenburg	Schulenburg Public Library	\$3,557
Fisher	Rotan	Rotan Public Library	\$2,746
Floyd	Floydada	Floyd County Library	\$3,109
Foard	Crowell	Foard County Library	\$2,733
Fort Bend	Richmond	Fort Bend County Libraries	\$86,618
Franklin	Mt Vernon	Franklin County Library	\$3,765
Freestone	Fairfield	Fairfield Library	\$3,002
Freestone	Teague	Teague Public Library	\$3,666
Frio	Dilley	Dilley Public Library	\$2,967
Frio	Pearsall	Pearsall Public Library	\$3,671
Gaines	Seminole	Gaines County Library	\$4,623
Galveston	Dickinson	Mares Memorial Library	\$4,386
Galveston	Friendswood	Friendswood Public Library	\$9,815
Galveston	Galveston	Rosenberg Library	\$26,516
Galveston	Hitchcock	Genevieve Miller Hitchcock PL	\$3,440

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Galveston	La Marque	La Marque Public Library	\$5,007
Galveston	League City	Helen Hall Library	\$16,725
Galveston	Santa Fe	Mae S Bruce Library	\$4,087
Galveston	Texas City	Moore Memorial Public Library	\$10,170
Garza	Post	Post Public Library	\$3,065
Gillespie	Fredericksburg	Pioneer Memorial Library	\$4,801
Goliad	Goliad	Goliad County Library	\$3,474
Gonzales	Nixon	The Aphne Pattillo Nixon PL	\$2,913
Gonzales	Waelder	Waelder Public Library	\$2,728
Gray	McLean	Lovett Memorial Library McLean	\$2,914
Gray	Pampa	Lovett Memorial Library Pampa	\$6,305
Grayson	Denison	Denison Public Library	\$7,681
Grayson	Howe	Howe Community Library	\$3,692
Grayson	Pottsboro	Pottsboro Area Public Library	\$2,852
Grayson	Sherman	Sherman Public Library	\$8,826
Grayson	Van Alstyne	Van Alstyne Public Library	\$3,791
Grayson	Whitesboro	Whitesboro Public Library	\$4,056
Grayson	Whitewright	Whitewright Public Library	\$3,096
Gregg	Gladewater	Lee Public Library	\$3,284
Gregg	Kilgore	Kilgore Public Library	\$5,499
Gregg	Longview	Longview Public Library	\$14,602
Gregg	White Oak	White Oak School Comm Library	\$3,388
Grimes	Navasota	Navasota Public Library	\$4,094
Guadalupe	Marion	Marion Community Library	\$4,887
Guadalupe	Schertz	Schertz Public Library	\$5,579
Guadalupe	Seguin	Seguin-Guadalupe County PL	\$7,068
Hale	Abernathy	Abernathy Public Library	\$2,718
Hale	Hale Center	Hale Center Public Library Inc	\$2,845
Hale	Plainview	Unger Memorial Library	\$5,475
Hall	Memphis	Memphis Public Library	\$2,894
Hamilton	Hamilton	Hamilton Public Library	\$3,191
Hansford	Gruver	Gruver City Library	\$2,737
Hansford	Spearman	Hansford County Library	\$3,594
Hardeman	Quanah	Thompson Sawyer Public Library	\$3,149
Hardin	Kountze	Kountze Public Library	\$3,398
Hardin	Lumberton	Lumberton Public Library	\$3,460
Hardin	Silsbee	Silsbee Public Library	\$4,166
Hardin	Sour Lake	Alma M Carpenter Public Library	\$2,879
Harris	Baytown	Sterling Municipal Library	\$22,083
Harris	Bellaire	Bellaire City Library	\$6,907
Harris	Deer Park	Deer Park Public Library	\$8,506
Harris	Harris Co	Harris County Public Library	\$192,171
Harris	Houston	Houston Public Library	\$319,038
Harris	Pasadena	Pasadena Public Library	\$27,378
Harrison	Marshall	Marshall Public Library	\$5,919
Harrison	Waskom	Waskom Public Library	\$2,685
Haskell	Haskell	Haskell County Library	\$3,146
Hays	Buda	Buda Public Library	\$4,620
Hays	Dripping Springs	Dripping Springs Community Lib	\$4,180
Hays	Kyle	Kyle Community Library	\$3,914
Hays	San Marcos	San Marcos Public Library	\$11,954
Hays	Wimberley	Wimberley Village Library	\$5,185
Hemphill	Canadian	Hemphill County Library	\$4,186
Henderson	Malakoff	Red Waller Community Library	\$3,021
Henderson	Seven Points	The Library at Cedar Creek Lake	\$3,559
Hidalgo	Alamo	Alamo Public Library	\$4,015
Hidalgo	Donna	Donna Public Library	\$4,433
Hidalgo	Edinburg	Edinburg Public Library	\$11,315
Hidalgo	Elsa	Elsa Public Library	\$3,709
Hidalgo	Hidalgo	Hidalgo Public Library	\$4,405
Hidalgo	La Joya	La Joya Municipal Library	\$3,596
Hidalgo	McAllen	McAllen Memorial Library	\$30,088
Hidalgo	Mercedes	Mercedes Memorial Library	\$4,554
Hidalgo	Mission	Speer Memorial Library	\$11,403

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Hidalgo	Weslaco	Weslaco Public Library	\$9,431
Hill	Hillsboro	Hillsboro City Library	\$5,139
Hill	Mount Calm	Mount Calm Public Library	\$2,777
Hill	Whitney	Lake Whitney Library	\$2,782
Hockley	Levelland	Hockley County Memorial Library	\$3,928
Hood	Granbury	Hood County Public Library	\$5,416
Hopkins	Sulphur Springs	Sulphur Springs Public Library	\$5,541
Houston	Crockett	JH Wootters Crockett PL	\$3,920
Houston	Grapeland	Grapeland Public Library	\$2,784
Howard	Big Spring	Howard County Library	\$6,300
Hudspeth	Dell City	Grace Grebing Public/School Lib	\$2,904
Hudspeth	Fort Hancock	Fort Hancock ISD/Public Library	\$3,480
Hunt	Commerce	Commerce Public Library	\$3,478
Hunt	Greenville	W Walworth Harrison PL	\$7,871
Hunt	Lone Oak	Lone Oak Area Public Library	\$2,779
Hunt	West Tawakoni	Tawakoni Area Public Library	\$2,778
Hunt	Wolfe City	Wolfe City Public Library	\$2,840
Hutchinson	Borger	Hutchinson County Library	\$5,663
Irion	Mertzon	Irion County Library	\$2,680
Jack	Jacksboro	Gladys Johnson Ritchie PL	\$3,112
Jackson	Edna	Jackson County Mem Lib	\$3,609
Jasper	Buna	Buna Public Library	\$2,827
Jasper	Jasper	Jasper Public Library	\$4,882
Jasper	Kirbyville	Kirbyville Public Library	\$3,303
Jeff Davis	Fort Davis	Jeff Davis County Library	\$3,136
Jefferson	Beaumont	Beaumont Public Library	\$19,954
Jefferson	Beaumont/JCL	Jefferson County Library	\$4,772
Jefferson	Groves	Groves Public Library	\$4,219
Jefferson	Nederland	Marion & Ed Hughes PL	\$5,489
Jefferson	Port Arthur	Port Arthur Public Library	\$11,293
Jefferson	Port Neches	Effie & Wilton Hebert PL	\$6,641
Jim Hogg	Hebbronville	Jim Hogg County Public Library	\$3,012
Jim Wells	Alice	Alice Public Library	\$8,271
Johnson	Alvarado	Alvarado Public Library	\$3,428
Johnson	Burleson	Burleson Public Library	\$7,581
Johnson	Cleburne	Cleburne Public Library	\$5,799
Johnson	Grandview	Grandview Public Library	\$2,833
Johnson	Joshua	Joshua School & Public Library	\$4,076
Johnson	Venus	Joe A Hall HS & Comm Lib	\$3,495
Jones	Anson	Anson Public Library	\$2,787
Jones	Stamford	Stamford Carnegie Library	\$2,889
Karnes	Falls City	Falls City Public Library	\$2,929
Karnes	Karnes City	Karnes City Public Library	\$3,187
Karnes	Kenedy	Kenedy Public Library	\$3,180
Karnes	Runge	Runge Public Library	\$2,993
Kaufman	Crandall	Crandall-Combine Comm Lib	\$3,492
Kaufman	Forney	Ellen Brooks West Mem Lib	\$3,703
Kaufman	Kaufman	Kaufman County Library	\$4,525
Kaufman	Mabank	Tri-County Library	\$2,934
Kaufman	Terrell	Riter C Hulsey Public Library	\$7,472
Kendall	Boerne	Boerne Public Library	\$7,313
Kendall	Comfort	Comfort Public Library	\$3,266
Kendall	Kendalia	Kendalia Public Library	\$2,725
Kent	Jayton	Kent County Library	\$3,229
Kerr	Kerrville	Butt-Holdsworth Mem Lib	\$10,581
Kimble	Junction	Kimble County Library	\$3,505
King	Guthrie	Guthrie CSD & King Co Library	\$2,795
Kinney	Brackettville	Kinney County Public Library	\$3,358
Kleberg	Kingsville	Robert J Kleberg Public Library	\$6,398
Knox	Munday	Munday City-County Library	\$2,661
La Salle	Cotulla	Alexander Memorial Library	\$3,010
Lamar	Paris	Paris Public Library	\$7,977

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Lamb	Earth	Springlake-Earth Comm Lib	\$3,389
Lamb	Littlefield	Lamb County Library	\$3,390
Lamb	Olton	Olton Area Library	\$3,011
Lampasas	Lampasas	Lampasas Public Library	\$3,979
Lavaca	Hallettsville	Friench Simpson Mem Lib	\$3,669
Lavaca	Shiner	Shiner Public Library	\$3,344
Lee	Dime Box	Black Bridge Library	\$2,681
Lee	Giddings	Giddings Public Library	\$4,805
Leon	Buffalo	Buffalo Public Library	\$3,137
Leon	Centerville	Elmer P & Jewel Ward Mem Lib	\$2,700
Liberty	Cleveland	Austin Memorial Library	\$5,078
Liberty	Dayton	Jones Public Library	\$3,663
Liberty	Liberty	Liberty Municipal Library	\$5,616
Liberty	Tarkington/Cleveland	Tarkington Community Library Inc	\$2,748
Limestone	Groesbeck	Maffett Memorial Library	\$3,223
Limestone	Mexia	Gibbs Memorial Library	\$4,338
Lipscomb	Booker	Booker School/Public Library	\$3,031
Lipscomb	Higgins	Higgins Public Library	\$2,727
Live Oak	George West	Live Oak County Library	\$3,463
Llano	Llano	Llano County Library System	\$5,634
Lubbock	Lubbock	Lubbock Public Library	\$30,382
Lubbock	Slaton	Slaton City Library	\$3,006
Lubbock	Wolfforth	City of Wolfforth Library	\$3,007
Lynn	Tahoka	City County Library	\$2,750
Madison	Madisonville	Madison County Library	\$3,782
Marion	Jefferson	Jefferson Carnegie Library	\$2,998
Martin	Stanton	Martin County Library	\$3,134
Mason	Mason	Mason Co. M Beven Eckert ML	\$3,156
Matagorda	Bay City	Bay City Public Library	\$6,567
Matagorda	Palacios	Palacios Library Inc	\$3,615
Maverick	Eagle Pass	Eagle Pass Public Library	\$4,973
Maverick	Quemado	Quemado Public Library	\$2,774
McCulloch	Brady	FM Buck Richards Mem Lib	\$3,405
McLennan	Hewitt	Hewitt Public Library	\$4,048
McLennan	Mart	Nancy Nail Memorial Library	\$2,788
McLennan	McGregor	McGinley Memorial Public Library	\$2,715
McLennan	Moody	Moody Community Library	\$2,649
McLennan	Waco	Waco-McLennan County Library	\$26,758
McLennan	West	West Public Library	\$2,863
Medina	Castroville	Castroville Public Library	\$3,830
Medina	Devine	Driscoll Public Library	\$3,059
Medina	Hondo	Hondo Public Library	\$4,352
Menard	Menard	Menard Public Library	\$2,876
Midland	Midland	Midland County Public Library	\$14,448
Milam	Cameron	Cameron Public Library	\$3,367
Milam	Rockdale	Lucy Hill Patterson Mem Lib	\$3,833
Mills	Goldthwaite	Jennie Trent Dew Library	\$2,896
Mitchell	Colorado City	Mitchell County Public Library	\$3,675
Montague	Bowie	Bowie Public Library	\$4,064
Montague	Nocona	Nocona Public Library	\$3,095
Montgomery	Conroe	Montgomery County Mem Lib	\$57,335
Moore	Dumas	Killgore Memorial Library	\$6,504
Morris	Daingerfield	Daingerfield Public Library	\$3,015
Morris	Naples	Naples Public Library	\$2,855
Motley	Matador	Motley County Library	\$2,741
Nacogdoches	Nacogdoches	Nacogdoches Public Library	\$6,311
Navarro	Corsicana	Corsicana Public Library	\$6,399
Newton	Newton	Newton County Public Library	\$3,282
Nolan	Sweetwater	County-City Library	\$4,039
Nueces	Corpus Christi	Corpus Christi Public Libraries	\$36,775
Nueces	Port Aransas	William R Bill Ellis Memorial Library	\$4,002
Nueces	Robstown	Nueces County Public Library	\$3,807
Ochiltree	Perryton	Perry Memorial Library	\$4,252
Oldham	Vega	Oldham County Public Library	\$2,748

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Orange	Bridge City	Bridge City Public Library	\$3,534
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Orange	Vidor	Vidor Public Library	\$3,719
Palo Pinto	Mineral Wells	Boyce Ditto Public Library	\$4,767
Panola	Carthage	Sammy Brown Library	\$5,420
Parker	Aledo	East Parker County Library	\$3,064
Parker	Springtown	Springtown Public Library	\$3,054
Parker	Weatherford	Weatherford Public Library	\$10,013
Parmer	Friona	Friona Public Library	\$3,825
Pecos	Fort Stockton	Fort Stockton Public Library	\$5,418
Pecos	Imperial	Imperial Public Library	\$2,966
Pecos	Iraan	Iraan Public Library	\$3,151
Polk	Corrigan	Mickey Reily Public Library	\$3,526
Polk	Livingston	Murphy Memorial Library	\$4,738
Polk	Onalaska	Onalaska Public Library	\$2,812
Potter	Amarillo	Amarillo Public Library	\$31,772
Presidio	Marfa	Marfa Public Library	\$3,315
Presidio	Presidio	City of Presidio Library	\$2,953
Rains	Emory	Rains County Public Library	\$3,380
Randall	Canyon	Canyon Area Library	\$4,804
Reagan	Big Lake	Reagan County Library	\$3,422
Real	Camp Wood	Camp Wood Public Library	\$2,658
Real	Leakey	Real County Public Library	\$2,932
Reeves	Pecos	Reeves County Library	\$3,380
Refugio	Refugio	Dennis M O'Connor Public Library	\$3,481
Robertson	Bremond	Bremond Public Library	\$2,806
Robertson	Hearne	Smith-Welch Memorial Library	\$3,469
Rockwall	Rockwall	Rockwall County Library	\$7,404
Rockwall	Royse City	Royse City Public Library	\$3,154
Runnels	Ballinger	Carnegie Library of Ballinger	\$3,205
Runnels	Winters	Winters Public Library	\$2,790
Rusk	Henderson	Rusk County Library System	\$8,450
Sabine	Hemphill	JR Huffman Public Library	\$3,093
Sabine	Pineland	Arthur Temple Sr Mem Lib	\$3,332
San Augustine	San Augustine	San Augustine Public Library	\$3,630
San Jacinto	Coldspring	Coldspring Area Public Library	\$2,841
San Jacinto	Shepherd	Shepherd Public Library	\$3,431
San Patricio	Aransas Pass	Ed & Hazel Richmond PL	\$3,274
San Patricio	Ingleside	Ingleside Public Library	\$4,990
San Patricio	Mathis	Mathis Public Library	\$3,020
San Patricio	Odem	Odem Public Library	\$2,952
San Patricio	Portland	Bell/Whittington Public Library	\$5,077
San Patricio	Sinton	Sinton Public Library	\$3,953
San Patricio	Taft	Taft Public Library	\$3,192
San Saba	San Saba	Rylander Memorial Library	\$2,969
Schleicher	Eldorado	Schleicher County Public Library	\$2,875
Scurry	Snyder	Scurry County Library	\$4,728
Shackelford	Albany	Shackelford County Library	\$2,660
Shelby	Center	Fannie Brown Booth Mem Lib	\$3,165
Sherman	Stratford	Sherman County Public Library	\$3,336
Smith	Bullard	Bullard Community Library	\$2,842
Smith	Lindale	Lindale Library	\$3,283
Smith	Noonday/Tyler	Noonday Community Library	\$2,648
Smith	Troup	Cameron-J Jarvis Troup Muni Lib	\$3,091
Smith	Tyler	Tyler Public Library	\$14,559
Smith	Whitehouse	Whitehouse Community Library	\$2,895
Somervell	Glen Rose	Somervell County Library	\$4,375
Starr	Rio Grande City	Rio Grande City Public Library	\$3,012
Sterling	Sterling City	Sterling County Public Library	\$2,784
Stonewall	Aspermont	Stonewall County Library	\$2,699
Sutton	Sonora	Sutton County Library	\$3,438
Swisher	Tulia	Swisher County Library	\$3,489
Tarrant	Arlington	Arlington Public Library	\$58,068
Tarrant	Azle	Azle Public Library	\$4,907

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Tarrant	Bedford	Bedford Public Library	\$9,888
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Tarrant	Blue Mound	Blue Mound Community Library	\$2,830
Tarrant	Colleyville	Colleyville Public Library	\$8,516
Tarrant	Crowley	Crowley Public Library	\$4,423
Tarrant	Eules	Eules Public Library	\$13,407
Tarrant	Everman	Everman Public Library	\$3,030
Tarrant	Fort Worth	Fort Worth Public Library	\$136,876
Tarrant	Grapevine	Grapevine Public Library	\$15,975
Tarrant	Haltom City	Haltom City Public Library	\$10,274
Tarrant	Haslet	Haslet Public Library	\$3,081
Tarrant	Hurst	Hurst Public Library	\$18,416
Tarrant	Keller	Keller Public Library	\$11,884
Tarrant	Kennedale	The Kennedale Library	\$3,378
Tarrant	Lake Worth	Mary Lou Reddick Public Library	\$3,847
Tarrant	Mansfield	Mansfield Public Library	\$9,033
Tarrant	North Richland Hills	North Richland Hills PL	\$16,644
Tarrant	Richland Hills	Richland Hills Public Library	\$4,940
Tarrant	River Oaks	River Oaks Public Library	\$3,642
Tarrant	Saginaw	John Ed Keeter Public Library	\$5,262
Tarrant	Southlake	Southlake Public Library	\$6,828
Tarrant	Watauga	Watauga Public Library	\$8,858
Tarrant	White Settlement	White Settlement Public Library	\$5,422
Taylor	Abilene	Abilene Public Library	\$22,001
Taylor	Merkel	Merkel Public Library	\$2,775
Terrell	Sanderson	Terrell County Public Library	\$3,005
Terry	Brownfield	Kendrick Memorial Library	\$3,762
Throckmorton	Throckmorton	Depot Public Library	\$2,656
Titus	Mt Pleasant	Mount Pleasant Public Library	\$4,531
Tom Green	San Angelo	Tom Green County Library	\$15,234
Travis	Austin	Austin Public Library	\$165,694
Travis	Austin/Wells Branch	Wells Branch Community Library	\$5,253
Travis	Bee Cave	Bee Cave Public Library	\$3,169
Travis	Jonestown	Jonestown Community Library	\$3,239
Travis	Lago Vista	Lago Vista CommunityLibrary	\$2,964
Travis	Lake Travis/Austin	Lake Travis Community Library	\$3,744
Travis	Pflugerville	Pflugerville Community Library	\$7,019
Travis	W Lake Hills/Austin	Westbank Community Library	\$10,462
Trinity	Trinity	Blanche K Werner Public Library	\$3,231
Tyler	Woodville	Allan Shivers Library & Museum	\$3,622
Upshur	Gilmer	Upshur County Library	\$4,862
Upton	McCamey	Upton County Public Library	\$2,941
Upton	Rankin	Rankin Public Library	\$3,105
Uvalde	Sabinal	Sabinal Public Library	\$2,748
Uvalde	Utopia	Utopia Memorial Library	\$2,701
Uvalde	Uvalde	El Progreso Memorial Library	\$5,650
Val Verde	Del Rio	Val Verde County Library	\$7,296
Van Zandt	Canton	Van Zandt County Library	\$3,558
Van Zandt	Grand Saline	Grand Saline Public Library	\$2,892
Van Zandt	Wills Point	Wills Point HS/Wingo Public Lib	\$3,065
Victoria	Victoria	Victoria Public Library	\$19,237
Walker	Huntsville	Huntsville Public Library	\$6,459
Walker	New Waverly	New Waverly Public Library	\$2,675
Waller	Hempstead	Waller County Library	\$4,584
Ward	Monahans	Ward County Library	\$4,202
Washington	Brenham	Nancy Carol Roberts Mem Lib	\$5,677
Webb	Laredo	Laredo Public Library	\$28,507
Wharton	Wharton	Wharton County Library	\$8,614
Wheeler	Shamrock	Shamrock Public Library	\$2,779
Wheeler	Wheeler	Wheeler Public Library	\$2,997
Wichita	Burkburnett	Burkburnett Library	\$3,694
Wichita	Electra	Electra Public Library	\$3,332
Wichita	Iowa Park	Tom Burnett Memorial Library	\$3,262
Wichita	Wichita Falls	Wichita Falls Public Library	\$15,698

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Williamson	Georgetown	Georgetown Public Library	\$11,670
Williamson	Leander	Leander Public Library	\$3,867
Williamson	Liberty Hill	Liberty Hill Public Library	\$3,172
Williamson	Round Rock	Round Rock Public Library	\$19,679
Williamson	Taylor	Taylor Public Library	\$5,346
Wilson	Floresville	Sam Fore Jr Wilson County PL	\$4,212
Winkler	Kermit	Winkler County Library	\$3,683
Wise	Alvord	Alvord Public Library	\$2,803
Wise	Boyd	Boyd Public Library	\$2,799
Wise	Bridgeport	Bridgeport Public Library	\$4,512
Wise	Chico	Chico Public Library Inc	\$2,771
Wise	Decatur	Decatur Public Library	\$5,677
Wise	Newark	Newark Public Library	\$3,090
Wood	Hawkins	Allen Memorial Public Library	\$2,888
Wood	Mineola	Mineola Memorial Library	\$4,235
Wood	Quitman	Quitman Public Library	\$3,434
Wood	Winnsboro	Gilbreath Memorial Library	\$3,502
Yoakum	Denver City	Yoakum Co/Cecil Bickley Library	\$4,232
Yoakum	Plains	Yoakum County Library	\$3,750
Young	Graham	Library of Graham	\$5,128
Young	Olney	Olney Comm Library & Arts Ctr	\$4,218
Zapata	Zapata	Zapata County Public Library	\$3,932
Zavala	Crystal City	Crystal City Memorial Library	\$2,939

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